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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

The claims are not amended. A complete listing of the claims, with their current status, is shown below.

1. **(Previously Presented)** An isolated polynucleotide comprising at least 50 contiguous nucleotides of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof, which polynucleotide hybridizes under stringent conditions to a polynucleotide having the sequence of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof.

- 2. (Previously Presented) An isolated polynucleotide comprising at least 50 contiguous nucleotides of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof, and having at least 90% sequence identity to of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof.
- 3. (Previously Presented) A polynucleotide comprising a nucleotide sequence of an insert contained in a clone deposited as clone number M00055050C:G04 of ATCC Deposit Number ES94.
- 4. (Currently Presented) An isolated cDNA comprising at least 50 contiguous nucleotides of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof, which cDNA is obtained by the process of amplification using a polynucleotide comprising at least 15 contiguous nucleotides of SEQ ID NO:222 or complement thereof.

## 5. (Cancelled)

- 6. (Original) An isolated recombinant host cell containing the polynucleotide according to claims 1, 2, 3, or 4.
- 7. (Original) An isolated vector comprising the polynucleotide according to claims 1, 2, 3, or 4.

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8. (Original) A method for producing a polypeptide, the method comprising the steps of: culturing a recombinant host cell containing the polynucleotide according to claims 1, 2, 3, or 4, said culturing being under conditions suitable for the expression of an encoded polypeptide;

recovering the polypeptide from the host cell culture.

9-15. (withdrawn)